Mountain Weather Forecast

North Grampian

Including North and West Cairngorms National Park, Monadhliath, Ben Alder, Creag Meagaidh, Loch Ericht and Loch Rannoch
Forecast valid from 00:00 on Wednesday 11 Nov 2020 until 23:59 on Thursday 12 Nov 2020

Forecast Issued on Tuesday 10 Nov 2020 at 15:50 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: High confidence for wet and windy weather on Wednesday, with drier interludes and further unsettled conditions thereafter.

Headline for Wednesday 11 Nov 2020: Wet and very windy.

Mountain weather hazards on Wednesday 11 Nov 2020

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy Snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** Low Likelihood
Gales High Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** Low Likelihood	**Poor visibility** High Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Cloudy	Light rain	Light rain	Light rain	Heavy Rain	Heavy Rain	Light rain	Light rain
Precipitation probability							
20%	60%	80%	80%	80%	80%	80%	60%

Forecast for Wednesday 11 Nov 2020

Weather: A band of rain will push in from the west during the early hours and continue to feed in throughout the day. This will bring low cloud across the area, with some heavy outbreaks of rain at times, particularly during the afternoon. Southerly winds will be strong throughout the day with a high chance of gales.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: Very low throughout.

Visibility: Moderate at lower levels but poor at height.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	41/55 S	38/49 S	43/56 S	48/63 S	48/65 S	51/70 S	51/71 S	43/60 S	31/43 SW
900	46/57 S	41/51 S	41/52 S	49/62 S	49/64 S	50/66 S	49/66 S	39/54 S	28/39 SW
600	32/47 S	29/41 S	26/37 S	32/45 S	35/50 S	35/51 S	34/51 S	26/42 S	18/29 SW
300	12/29 SW	14/33 S	13/29 S	16/37 S	21/45 S	21/46 S	21/46 S	15/34 S	10/24 SW
Glen	6/26 S	5/24 S	3/19 S	4/25 S	8/32 S	8/34 S	8/34 S	6/27 S	4/19 SW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	1/-8	1/-7	2/-7	2/-7	2/-7	2/-7	2/-6	2/-6	1/-7
900	5/-2	4/-3	5/-2	5/-2	5/-2	5/-2	6/-2	5/-2	4/-2
600	7/2	6/1	7/2	7/2	8/2	8/2	8/3	8/3	6/2
300	8/5	8/5	9/6	9/6	10/6	10/6	10/6	9/6	8/6
Glen	8/6	9/6	9/8	10/8	11/8	12/9	11/8	10/7	8/6
Freezing Level*	1600m	2200m	2300m	2200m	2200m	2000m	1900m	1700m	1500m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
Feeling cold at height in very strong winds.

Forecast for Thursday 12 Nov 2020
Weather: Chance of some patchy low cloud with a little rain at first but soon clearing to leave a fine morning. Low cloud pushing in from the west during the afternoon with rain following behind, persisting through the rest of the day.

Maximum wind: Southwesterly 25-30 mph, gusting 50 mph into the evening.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 80% through the morning, reducing to 10% during the afternoon.

Visibility: Good during the morning, moderate at lower levels into the afternoon but poor at height.

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 2 rising to plus 9 Celsius
At 800m: Plus 1 Celsius
Freezing level: Above summits.

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